

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
NOBUKO YAMAMOTO ET AL. ) : Examiner: S. Bausch  
Application No.: 10/608,804 ) : Group Art Unit: 1634  
Filed: June 30, 2003 ) :  
For: METHOD FOR EXAMINING )  
REACTIVITY AND METHOD :  
FOR DETECTING A COMPLEX ) August 4, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the following remarks.